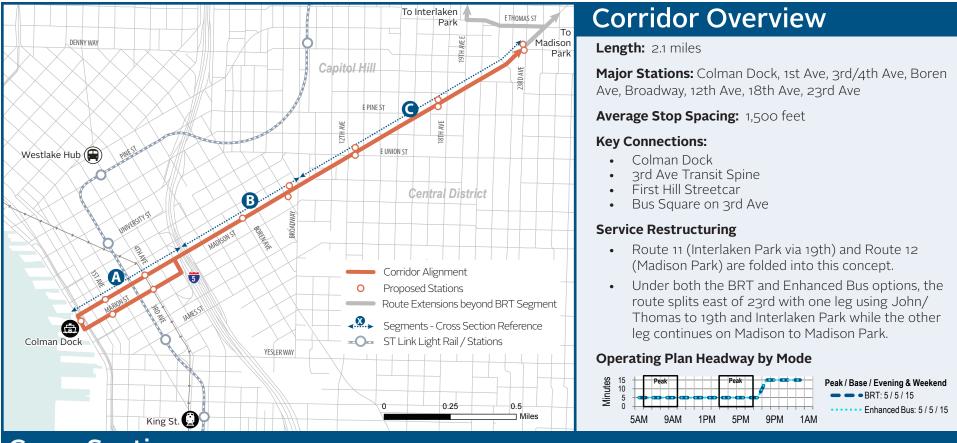
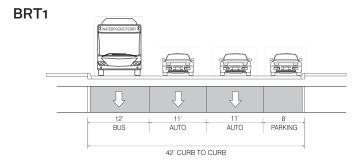
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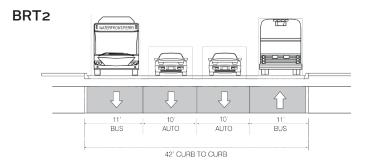


Cross Sections

Segment A

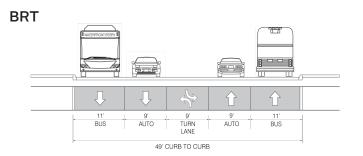
Madison/Marion, Alaskan Way to 6th: The Madison/Marion Couplet is a primary option; a 2-way Madison is also feasible (keeping 1-way general auto traffic). Parking removal would be required on Marion and Madison to provide dedicated lane operations. No substantial engineering issues are anticipated with shared-lane operation on Madison, but dedicating a travel lane for exclusive BRT could increase traffic delay for general purpose.





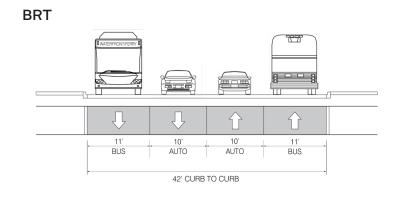
Segment B

Madison, I-5 to Broadway: This segment features lanes as narrow as 9 feet for cars. Frequent signalized cross-streets, alleys, and driveways are likely to keep speeds down. BRT is shown in curb lanes that could be used for business access as well as BRT, or if buses with left-side doors are used in conjunction with shared-lane operation, center platforms could also be used in this segment.



Segment C

Madison, Broadway to 23rd: The easternmost Madison segment is 42' curb-to-curb and has no left turn lanes, which places a premium on space for automobiles. Exclusive BRT could be harder to implement within the existing cross-section for this reason. The diagonal nature of Madison (which leads to many intersections and odd traffic movements) and the frequency of signals will keep speeds low in this segment.



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CORRIDOR 6: COMPARATIVE MEASURES

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